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AROUND the TOWNSHIP

Thanks, folks. The Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce committee is delighted to know that its effort to put a few pertinent facts concerning Niles and Niles Canyon on the ether waves for all and sundry to hear was appreciated by the homefolk.

That the broadcast was heard generally during the noon hour last Sunday is indicated by one letter from MH at Fresno. "Gee, it was swell. Came in clear as a bell."

Our thanks, as a community, to the Trade Development Committee of the San Francisco Junior Chamber of Commerce and to KFRC, the Don Lee station, as well as to the California Radio Commission's working personnel on Treasure Island.

The Lions have done it. And, they will do it again tonight. We'll say they are beautiful (?) women, but oh, doctor.

Sunday's dedication day in Newark will live long in the memory of those who arranged it and those who participated in the gala occasion of open house at the new fire hall.

Lest we forget, Karl Nordvik ground out 250 feet of parade film for the Boosters' Club and Paul Garcia of Decoto took 600 feet of movies of the entire program for the Newark Fire Department. Thus, posterity will not be denied.

Frank Overacker, that handsome woman slayer of Newark, did a fine job of showing up Richard Greene at the dedication parade Sunday.

A pageant depicting the story of Damon and Pythias, Greek characters upon whose friendship is based the founding of the Pythian Lodge, will be given at Treasure Island on Pythian Day, May 19.

The township is particularly interested inasmuch as Frank T. Dusterberry of Centerville served last year as grand chancellor.

The first Pythian lodge was formed in Washington, D. C., at the close of the Civil War, with the idea of promoting friendship among residents of the North and the South. It received the approval of President Abraham Lincoln and is the only fraternal organization ever chartered by Congress. It has lodges in every outpost of this country where the U. S. flag is flown and the present supreme chancellor, E. Lee Stapp, resides in Miami, Fla.

TOYON HOSPITAL BRANCH TO MEET

ALVARADO—The Toyon Branch of the Children's Hospital of the Eastbay will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. Walter Robie here on Monday. The meeting was postponed from the regular date of the first Monday in the month.

Saturday Night ...

Dance to Music by

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Floor Show

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Blues Singer

at the

Columbia Grill

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Treasure Island Broadcast Tells Of Niles And Canyon

NILES — Representatives of the Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce were given a royal welcome by the San Francisco Junior Chamber at the community broadcast from Treasure Island over Radio Station KFRC, Sunday at 12:30, noon.

Taking part in the broadcast were Edward Enos, secretary of the Niles Junior Chamber; J. Boyce Smith, treasurer and Gladys Williamson. The party were guests at luncheon at the Press Club on Treasure Island following the broadcast. Also present were Marin Matosich of the Trade Development committee of the San Francisco Junior Chamber of Commerce and Gordon Dennis, chairman of the Trade Development committee.

Niles was honored by being the first community to broadcast from the Treasure Island station. Approximately 30 other communities have had similar broadcasts from the San Francisco office of KFRC and others will follow each Sunday at 12:30 o'clock over the Treasure Island microphone.

Only 12 minutes were allotted for "telling the world" the various reasons why Niles is a good place to live and to work. Highlights stressed were nearness to the Metropolitan centers, colleges at Berkeley, Palo Alto, San Jose and Santa Clara, its rail and highway transportation facilities, the facilities of Niles Canyon, location of industries including ornamental and building tile, pottery, gravel, scientific poultry breeding plant, the climate and agricultural assets of the community, the outdoor bulb show at the California Nursery Company, the business section, schools, churches, modern homes, and historical background.

Publicity was given the wildflower festival to be held here by the Junior Chamber of Commerce on May 5, 6 and 7 and the dance which is to be a part of the festival on Saturday night, May 6.

Mention was made of the history being compiled by the County Club of Washington Township under the editorship of Mrs. J. E. Thane, the Old Adobe at the Nursery, the home of Dr. Millicent Shinn, first woman to receive a Ph. D. from the University of California and other distinctive homes of the community.

According to the home folks who listened in and radio station officials, including Arthur E. Rowe assistant to the head of the Radio Department of the Exposition, the broadcast was "satisfactory."

SCOUT FINANCIAL DRIVE IN SEPTEMBER

CENTERVILLE — The annual financial campaign for the Boy Scouts of Washington Township will be held the first of September, according to E. D. Bristow, chairman of the sponsoring committee which met last week at the office of Judge Allen G. Norris.

Those present at the meeting were Howard White, Robert Blacow, Harvey Braun, Allen Norris, George Scamman and W. T. Lindsay. Other members of the committee are James Collins and J. P. Calderia.

SMALL BLAZE IN DECOTO GARAGE

DECOTO — Negligible damage was done to the garage of Sidney Martinez of Decoto Wednesday of last week by fire of undetermined origin. The Decoto Fire Department extinguished the blaze.

CHICAGO JAZZ BAND COMING TO COLUMBIA

NILES — Something new and unusual will be offered the dance loving public on Saturday night when Johnson's 5-piece colored jazz band will be at the Columbia Grill for an evening of entertainment.

In addition to the dance band, a blues singer and complete floor show have been provided. Johnson and his band have just come from a succession of appearances in Chicago and the blues singer formerly was engaged in song recording.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS WILL ENTERTAIN EXALTED OFFICIAL

CENTERVILLE — Grand Chancellor Wilbert C. Hamilton of the Knights of Pythias will pay an official visit to the Centerville Lodge on Thursday, April 27. Visitors are expected from the Bay cities, San Jose and the Peninsula lodges.

The grand lodge meeting of the Knights of Pythias will be held at Santa Cruz, beginning May 15, to be followed by Pythian Day at the Golden Gate Exposition on May 19. A special presentation of "Damon and Pythias", will be included in the program on Treasure Island.

Chancellor Commander Harold Garcia had charge of the meeting held at Centerville on Thursday night of last week at which time the page rank was conferred.

Field Executive Of Scouts Will Talk To Niles Civic Group

NILES — Evidently the Chamber of Commerce was pleased at the publicity given Niles by the radio broadcast from Treasure Island on the San Francisco Junior Chamber of Commerce community promotion program Sunday sponsored by the Niles Junior Chamber. Those who listened in reported good reception and appreciation of the boost given the community.

Another radio broadcast which will advertise Niles was announced by Principal E. D. Bristow of the Niles Grammar School who will have charge of the Latham Foundation broadcast over Station KLX on April 22, at 4 p. m., in which Niles students will participate.

President George Bonde invited members to bring guests to next Monday's meeting when W. T. Lindsay, field executive of the Boy Scouts, will be the speaker.

On April 27, the Chamber will meet with the Niles Rotary Club as guests of the Washington Union High School at luncheon in the cafeteria. Students will present a program for the visitors.

Further plans for Niles Day at the exposition on July 3 were announced by C. W. Kraft, chairman of exhibits. Assisting him are George Roeding and A. J. Petsche. President George Bonde appointed W. B. Kirk, E. D. Bristow and John Kimber to assist with arranging a program for the day.

Township Institute Will Have Part In District Initiation

NILES — A prominent part in the district initiation and meeting of Y. L. I. of the East Bay at the Hotel Leamington on Sunday will be played by members of De Guadalupe Institute.

Mrs. Marguerite Crane, grand director, has charge of the entertainment program. Mary Nunes, president of the local institute will conduct the initiation ritual. Horace Avilla, first vice president of the local group, will act as marshal for the day.

The meeting will be held at 2 o'clock in the ball room of the Hotel Leamington and will be preceded by luncheon at noon. Teresa Schmitt has charge of luncheon reservations. Mrs. Rito Muzio, district deputy, expects to have a class of 50 candidates. The flag team from Richmond Institute will escort the officers and new members. Grand President Marion Warack will be the guest of honor.

SCHOLARSHIP GROUP INITIATES THIRTEEN

CENTERVILLE — Kazuei Tate, president of the Centerville Chapter of the California Scholarship Association, had charge of a party given last week at the school. Thirteen new members were initiated and the evening spent with games and entertainment numbers.

Twelve delegates from the Society attended a convention at Treasure Island on Saturday.

Ground Water And Lower Taxes Called Big Farm Problems

CENTERVILLE — Following a discussion of problems faced by Washington Township farmers, a vote at this week's meeting of the Eden-Washington Farm Center indicated that high taxes and ground water constituted the two most important issues facing local farmers.

Lower taxes in order that farmers might invest sufficient money in soil conservation and restoration and modern methods were declared necessary. It was also emphasized that all possible should be done to insure permanent high level in wells to act as a salt water barrier. Work of the Alameda Water County Water District in this respect was commended.

Three events of importance were announced. Three annual picnic of the Alameda County Farm Bureau will be held at the Linda Vista Park at Mission San Jose on Sunday, May 14. All members and their families are invited. There will be an all day program of games and dancing. Coffee will be furnished and each family is to bring a basket lunch.

The annual meeting of the Prune and Apricot Growers Association will be held on May 26. Directors will be elected and refreshments will be served.

A demonstration of methods used to combat brown rot will be given at El Portal, Hayward, this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Farm Adviser T. O. Morrison invited all fruit growers to be present.

The program included showing of sound motion pictures depicting modern farming methods being used in the Southern Great Plains to overcome damages caused by dust storms. Over-grazing and poor farming methods have resulted in the depletion of the soil and contour farming, terracing and strip planting are resulting in returning the section to normal production. Another picture showed scientific methods of caring for live stock.

The secretary was instructed to write a letter of condolence to Mrs. Charles Langdon because of the recent death of her husband. Mr. Langdon was a member of the local Center and was a director of the Alameda County Farm Bureau.

Paul Dougherty gave a report of the recent visit of the local Future Farmers to Treasure Island. All sheep exhibited by Washington Chapter placed in the prize money.

JUNIOR ENDEAVOR WILL BE FORMED

NEWARK — All boys and girls of Washington Township between the ages of 10 and 14 are invited to join the Junior Christian Endeavor to be organized on Saturday night, April 29, at the Newark church. Meetings will be held each Saturday night with Leo Brown, student assistant pastor and Mrs. Fawcett in charge.

The general council of the Presbyterian Parish will meet next Monday night at the Alvarado church.

MASONIC HOME'S OLDEST RESIDENTS ARE CONGRATULATED

DECOTO — Friends and relatives called at the Masonic Home last Friday to felicitate Paris Jasper Ferguson, 95, oldest member of the home, and his wife, Ruth, 82, on their 65th wedding anniversary. Mrs. Ferguson will celebrate her 82nd birthday next week.

Ferguson crossed the plains when a boy of five. He and his wife were married in Healdsburg where he served as postmaster. They have been at the home for the past five years. Ferguson's brother, William, resides in Santa Rosa.

The couple have three sons, Charles P. of Oakland, William Edwin of Stockton, H. Chester of San Francisco. The three grand children are Lee Burnett Ferguson of San Francisco, Mrs. Biff Gray of Stockton and Ruth Ferguson of San Francisco.

Six Niles Students Winners In Latham Foundation Contest

NILES — The Niles Grammar School once more placed among the first in winners of the annual essay contest sponsored by the Latham Foundation for the promotion of humane education. Six local students have won cash prizes and will participate in a radio broadcast tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock over radio station KLX.

Principal E. D. Bristow will have charge of the broadcast. Students to take part are Leon Vieux, Miyuki Kawaguchi, Richard Brunelli, Lorraine Perry, Bobby Lazzarini, Helen M. View of Niles.

Those winning certificates of merit include the following from Niles:

Nancy Farrington, Winifred Franco, Robert Bunting, Michiko Aihara, Loretta Lewis, Flora Moreno, Ernestine Rebello, Betty Jean Burr, Gloria Salvadorini, Frank Perry, John Rodriguez, Inez Fong, Betty Clark, Margaret Kerns, Barbara Maciel, Alma Poggetto, Rosemary McDonald, Esther Duarte, Earl Silva, Winifred Pereira, Beverly Bunting, Jean Menzies, Juanita Le Count, Stephen Robles, Rosanne Sladek, Patricia Owen, June Menzies, Juanita Poulton, Amelia Silva, Ronald Oliver.

At Decoto School, Daniel Corchero won third prize in Group 1, and Shirley Zamora was awarded a certificate of merit.

At Warm Springs School, Eddie Costa won second prize in Group 11, Certificates of Merit to Manuel Galvan, Stanley Maffey, Joan Morse and Barbara Ramos. In Group 1, Josephine Lawrence was awarded a Certificate of Merit.

PLAN ANNUAL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS PICNIC

MISSION SAN JOSE — The annual picnic of the Knights of Columbus of the East Bay will be held at the Linda Vista park at Mission San Jose on May 7. About 800 are expected to attend. The local committee is composed of John Brown, general chairman, Anthony Silva and Joe Duarte.

COMING EVENTS

- Apr. 22—Newark Boosters Club dance, Swiss Hall.
- Apr. 24—Township Boy Scout Court of Honor, Centerville Grammar School, 7:30 p. m.
- Apr. 24—General council, Presbyterian Parish, Alvarado.
- Apr. 24—Toyon Branch, Mrs. Robie's, 2 p. m.
- Apr. 25—Centerville Grammar School P. T. A. 2:30 p. m.
- Apr. 25—Centerville Lions at high school; supper meeting.
- Apr. 27—Niles Rotary and C. of C. at high school; luncheon.
- Apr. 28—Mothers' tea and fashion show at the high school.
- Apr. 29—Junior Chamber of Commerce, Newark church.
- May 2—Country Club of Washington Township.
- May 3, 4, 5—State Convention Women's Club, Oakland.
- May 4—Irvington P. T. A.
- May 5—Annual May Day at high school for grammar schools.
- May 5—"Guess Again", night school play, high school.
- May 5—Dedication of soft ball field, high school.
- May 5, 6, 7—Niles Wild Flower Show, with dance on Saturday night, May 6.
- May 6-7—Holy Ghost fiesta at Alvarado.
- May 7—K. C. picnic at Linda Vista Park.
- May 8—General Federation Women's Clubs, S. F.
- May 15—Grand lodge of Pythians, Santa Cruz.
- May 15—Welfare club; Mrs. Fred Dusterberry's home.
- May 16—Donaldina Cameron at Hotel Belvoir; Presbyterian Women.
- May 19—Pythian Day at Treasure Island.
- June 3—Soft ball dance, Swiss Park.
- June 19—Welfare Club picnic at Mrs. Ellsworth's.

Largest Crowd Ever Assembled In Newark Witnesses Dedication Of Fire House and Gala Parade

Public Schools Week Will Be Observed By Fitting Program

CENTERVILLE — The twentieth annual observance of Public Schools Week is scheduled for the week of April 24-28.

Public School Week was instituted for the general purpose of affording the public and particularly the parents of school children an opportunity of becoming better acquainted with the work and needs of the public schools.

The people of California are invited, through meetings and by actual visits to schools during Public School Week, to familiarize themselves with the work of the schools.

In this manner opportunity is afforded to the general public, as well as to the parents of pupils, of visiting their community or neighborhood school in order that first hand judgment may be made on the public school system as to efficiency and economy, and to learn whether the schools are performing the service they are expected to perform in preparing youth for worthy citizenship.

The public is most cordially invited to attend the programs to be presented at the Centerville Grammar School on Monday at 7:30 p. m. and on Tuesday at 2:30 p. m.

FORESTERS INITIATE 100 CANDIDATES AT MEETING IN S. F.

NILES — Approximately 100 candidates will be initiated at a combined gathering of District Courts Nos. 7, 9, 10, and 14. Foresters of America, to be held at Court Magnolia No. 2 in San Francisco on next Tuesday evening.

It is scheduled as one of the biggest events in affairs of the Foresters of America and will be attended by a large delegation from Court Niles No. 110, including J. D. Galvin, chief ranger; C. B. Crane, treasurer; S. Pioletta and J. D. Gomes, trustees; L. L. Lewis, financial secretary; George T. King, junior woodward; E. D. Bristow, lecturer; Cyrus B. Solon, auditor.

Chief Ranger Galvin has been elected delegate from Court Niles to the convention in San Francisco on May 18, with Crane as alternate.

Final Performance By Beautiful Ladies Is Set For Tonight

CENTERVILLE — Those who were unable to get into the full house which witnessed the first performance of "Beautiful Ladies" given by the Centerville Lions Club for the benefit of the club's charity fund at the Washington Union High School will undoubtedly be present at tonight's presentation.

Those who miss it will miss the biggest laugh of the year and as there are no reserved seats, persons wishing a close up of the masculine beauties of Washington Township will do well to come early. The performance is scheduled for 8:15 p. m.

Dignitaries such as Supervisor George Hellwig as the Duchess of Windsor; Judge Allen G. Norris as one of the "spring" dancers; Principal E. D. Bristow as the dog catcher; Dr. G. S. Holeman as the mortician; high school instructors, C. W. Kraft, past president of the Niles Rotary Club as master of ceremonies; Past Grand Chancellor of the K. P.'s Frank T. Dusterberry as "grandpa" and Raymond L. Pond as "grandma" offer entertainment of unquestionable merit.

"Oh! Doctor", a supplementary comedy drama will be given by a group of San Jose players directed by Edward Redmond who also directs the "Beautiful Ladies."

NEWARK — The largest crowd ever assembled in Newark for any occasion witnessed the dedication of the new \$6,000 fire hall on Sunday.

A parade including 116 entries under the sponsorship of the Newark Sportsmen's Club started off the program. The parade was led by Captain Louis Eike of the California State Highway Patrol and Fire Chief J. E. Pashote of Newark.

Entries included practically every organization in Washington Township. In the line of march were the Centerville band, the Newark fire commissioners, the Newark fire department, Newark Sportsmen's Club officers, Newark Sportswomen's Club, Newark Boosters Club, Women's Auxiliary of the Newark Fire Department, Newark Women's Improvement Club, Newark Blue Bird Club, delegations from Centerville, Niles, Decoto, Alvarado, Mission San Jose, Irvington, Hayward, Martinville, Oakland and Pleasanton. The fire fighting equipment of the township also was included.

Other organizations included the Washington Parlor of Native Sons, the Irvington Junior Chamber of Commerce, American Legion, Sons of the Legion, Knights of Pythias, Centerville Lions Club, Mounters Union, Moulders Union, Soft Ball Association, Oakland Chapter of the Red Cross, Boy Scouts, Junior Traffic Patrols, Girl Scouts, Alpine Lodge of Swiss Hall, and numerous commercial entries.

Covered wagons, old stage coaches, horseback riders, the hay wagon entered by the Newark Sportswomen, etc., etc., made up the giant parade. Crowds attending were estimated at 2500.

The old bell, Newark's first fire alarm system, which served on the original fire hall built in 1910, was on display and will be mounted for permanent exhibit. Pictures of two late members of the commission, H. W. Fuller and Chief Louis Ruschin who passed away last year, are in the office of the new fire hall.

Charter members of the fire department met Monday night to arrange for preserving the history of the organization. Among them are Frank Sefas and Joe Raymond of Oakland, John Marshall, Frank Veit, Joe Dias, Earl Ingraham and John Dutra.

Gifts presented Sunday included flowers from the James Graham Manufacturing Company, six card tables from the Block Furniture Company and ash trays from the Blue Bird Club.

A free lunch was served at noon under the sponsorship of the Newark Boosters Club and the Women's Auxiliary of the fire department.

The program included a concert by the Centerville band, address of welcome by Commissioner F. A. Muller, introduction of visiting chiefs by Chief J. E. Pashote, talk by Supervisor George Hellwig, address by Jay W. Stevens, California State Fire Marshall; address by A. Bliss of the Board of Underwriters and Charles Smith, deputy State Fire Marshall.

Dedication speech by Judge Allen G. Norris and ceremonies by Washington Parlor of Native Sons in charge of Grand Third Vice President Edward T. Schnarr; introduction of Dr. A. E. Burnstein of the Oakland Chapter of the American Red Cross by Charles Gillispie and a first aid demonstration; hose drill by the Newark Fire Department and demonstration of equipment and a trap shoot contest between the Washington Township and the Newark Sportsmen's Club.

It was Newark's big day and from all reports a satisfying one.

JUNIOR CHAMBER TO MEET MONDAY NIGHT

IRVINGTON — The Irvington Junior Chamber of Commerce will meet next Monday night.

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PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

America believes in good schools. That is why we have them, honor them, and seek to establish more of them in whatever places lack them.

California also believes in good schools. Her record for outstanding leadership in progressive education goes back almost three quarters of a century when its first compulsory attendance law was passed. To that record she still holds fast. Public Schools Week, beginning April 24, is the occasion on which California holds open house to give all interested citizens a chance to observe at first-hand the means and the methods, the class-rooms, laboratories, playgrounds, and workshops, by which this State holds fast to that record and maintains her leadership in education.

Modern methods of teaching seek to whet the imagination of youngsters so that this highly serious matter of acquiring knowledge becomes more of an adventurous quest than a dull chore. Parents will find it in the nature of an adventure themselves if they visit the schools on this occasion.

Do we wish our children to be genuinely interested in school? Then parents must manifest an intelligent interest in schools, too.

Public Schools Week gives them just that chance. It should not be overlooked.

STILL REASON TO WORRY

The ill wind which swept the Dust Bowl and blew thousands of migrants into California for shelter is less severe this month.

The number of itinerant farm laborers moving northward through the State is reported to be half what it was a year ago—6000 workers this month as against 13,000 last Spring.

Partly responsible is the reduction in cotton plantings in the San Joaquin Valley. Because we are producing and earning less, the number of workers is less—a doubtful gain that hardly permits California to worry less.

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Decoto Doings

RECOVERING FROM OPERATION

Mrs. Bill Muniz is recovering at the Alameda County Emergency Hospital from an operation performed last week.

VISIT HERE FROM SAN LEANDRO

Mrs. Louise Enos and daughter of San Leandro were visitors here on Saturday.

HAD FLU SEVERAL DAYS

Florence and Marie Milina were ill several days last week with influenza.

CHILDREN IN CONFIRMATION CLASS

A large number of Decoto children received confirmation at the Corpus Christi Church at Niles on Saturday afternoon.

GUESTS OF RELATIVES

Misses Bernice and Dolores Vargas of Warm Springs spent the week end at the home of relatives here.

MOTHER AND DAUGHTER ILL

Mrs. Emma Bettencourt and daughter, Dorothy have been confined to their home here with influenza.

FIRE EQUIPMENT IN PARADE

The Decoto Fire Department participated in the dedication ceremonies of the new fire house at Newark on Sunday.

SPEND WEEK END IN HAYWARD

Dolores and Sonny Lorenzo spent the week end with relatives in Hayward.

PIONEER RESIDENT IS ILL

Frank Brown, pioneer resident of Decoto, is ill at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. J. Cordeiro.

START CANNING OF PEAS

The Jos. Pearce Canning Company has started the annual run on peas.

WIFE OF PRINCIPAL HONORED AT PARTY

IRVINGTON — Eighth-grade mothers of the Irvington Grammar School were hostesses at a party given at the school last Friday afternoon for Mrs. Jack Prouty, wife of the principal. A gift was presented to Mrs. Prouty from the mothers of the school, the teachers and school employees. Refreshments were served.

Hostesses were Mesdames J. Gomes, George Enos, A. Corriea, A. Harvey, William Enos, M. Furusho, J. Olive, George Scammon, E. Hammond, Hugh Davis, T. Nitta, J. Machida, G. Masuda, Y. Ishida, Y. Kita, F. Bettencourt, J. Corey, L. Freitas, R. Griffin, R. Benbow, P. Bettencourt and M. Sousa.

FINAL RITES HELD FOR Z. MACHIDA

IRVINGTON — Zirozaemon Machida, 54, husband of Kigo Machida, was given final rites from the Berge Mortuary at Irvington on Monday. Cremation followed at the Oakhill Crematorium, San Jose.

The deceased passed away last Friday. He was the father of No. duo, Mitsuo, Mary and Sumio Machida.

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Irvington Items

BACK FROM VISIT IN OROVILLE

Miss Martha Mack, who visited in Oroville for the past few months, has returned to her home.

KITE FLYING CONTEST TODAY

The Irvington Grammar School will hold the annual Kite Flying Contest on the school grounds at 2 p. m. today. Five prizes will be given to the girls and five prizes to the boys for the smallest, the largest, the best made and the one flying the highest—the one flying up over 25 feet and remaining up. Jack Prouty, principal, and Berkeley St. John Green will be judges.

SPENDS WEEK END IN OAKLAND

Philip Ramsall spent the week end with Rudy Wagner of Oakland.

HAD DECORATED CAR IN PARADE

The Irvington Junior Chamber of Commerce participated in the parade sponsored by the Booster's Club to celebrate the opening of the Newark fire house on Sunday with a beautifully decorated car.

P. T. A. PREPARES TO ELECT

The Irvington Parent Teachers held their regular meeting Thursday evening, April 13, at the Irvington Grammar School with Mrs. Lucille Day vice president presiding in the absence of Mrs. Anna Mayock, president.

Delegates were appointed to nominate new officers for the coming year. Pie and coffee were served after the meeting.

WEEK END GUEST FROM OAKLAND

Mrs. Annie Allender of Oakland spent the week end with her children, Betty and Raymond, and her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. William Ramsell.

MEN'S CLUB SEES MOVIES

The Irvington Men's Club held their regular meeting at the I. O. O. F. Hall Thursday evening. Motion pictures were shown.

WINS BOXING BOUT WITH K. O.

Phillip Ramsall scored a knock out over Joe Dondera Friday night April 14 at Livermore in the boxing bouts.

ATTENDS BIRTHDAY DINNER

Oliver Benbow was the guest at a birthday dinner given in honor of Johnny Salter in Livermore on Sunday.

SUNDAY GUESTS IN OAKLAND

Postmaster and Mrs. M. C. Joseph were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lewis of Oakland on Sunday.

HOSTESS TO 500 CLUB

Mrs. Margie Benbow entertained the "500" club at her home on Wednesday.

HIGH SCHOOL GROUP TO HAVE PARTY

Barbara and Gene Williams of Irvington will entertain a group of high school friends at a swimming party at the Hayward plunge tonight.

FIRE DEPARTMENT SPONSORS CONTEST

The first annual essay contest sponsored by the Irvington Fire Department will close on May 30, according to Principal Jack Prouty. A cup will be awarded the winner and ten honorable mentions will be given.

GIVEN 30 DAYS FOR "FIXING" METER

CENTREVILLE — John Anderson pleaded guilty to petty theft after allegedly forcing Felice Ponti, Centerville baker, to give him a check for \$27 for "fixing" the P. G. & E. meter and was sentenced to 30 days in the county jail. A charge of robbery involving the same incident was dismissed.

WILL REPRESENT EAGLES IN JUNE

ALVARADO — Joseph S. Martin, Antone A. Lawrence and John E. Silva have been chosen delegates of the Alvarado Aerie of Eagles to the state convention in Santa Cruz June 9, 10 and 11. Alternates are M. P. Rose, T. E. Amaral and Joseph Bauhofer.

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF TRUSTEES' SALE

In accordance with the terms of and under the authority of a certain deed of trust executed by Edward Rose and Leontine Rose, his wife, as trustees, and August May and J. R. Blacow, as trustees, and The Bank of Alameda County, a corporation, assignor of Central Bank, a corporation, as beneficiary, dated the 8th day of May, 1937, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Alameda, State of California, on the 12th day of May, 1937, in Liber 3483 of Official Records at Page 184 and following, and in pursuance of a certain notice of breach and notice of election to sell, or cause to be sold, the property in said deed of trust described, to satisfy the obligation for which said deed of trust was given, recorded by Central Bank, a corporation, beneficiary under said deed of trust, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Alameda, State of California, on the 24th day of December, 1938, in Liber 3725 of Official Records at Page 174.

Now, Therefore, the said August May and J. R. Blacow, said trustees, do hereby give notice, that on the 3rd day of May, 1939, at 9:30 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the main entrance of the Alameda County Court House, situated on Fallon Street, between Twelfth and Thirteenth Streets, in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, they will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, lawful money of the United States, all those certain lots, pieces, parcels or tracts of land situate, lying and being in the Township of Washington, County of Alameda, State of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

PARCEL 1: LOTS Numbered 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8, in Block Numbered 66, as said Lots and Block are delineated and so designated upon that certain Map entitled, "Official Map of Town of Niles, Alameda County, California," filed December 31, 1928, in Book 6 of Maps, at page 36, in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda County.

PARCEL 2: BEGINNING at the corner common to Plots Numbered 16, 19 and 20, as said plots are delineated and so designated upon that certain Map entitled, "Map of a part of the Rancho Arroyo de la Alameda," etc., filed November 24, 1924, in the Office of the Recorder of Alameda County, California; and running thence along the line dividing said Plots Numbered 16 and 19, South 62 degrees 46 minutes 50 seconds West Thirty-one Hundred and Ten and 63/100 feet, (the bearing of said dividing line being taken as South 62 degrees 46 minutes 50 seconds West for the purpose of making this description) to the corner common to Plots Numbered 16, 17, 18 and 19, as shown on said Map, thence along the line dividing said Plots Numbered 17 and 18, South 16 degrees 03 minutes 40 seconds West seven Hundred and Sixty-seven and 36/100 feet to the most Westerly corner of that certain 0.694 acre piece or parcel of land heretofore conveyed by Emilie L. Chittenden and husband to Emily P. Mayhew, by Deed dated April 5, 1936, and recorded in Book 305 of Deeds, at page 126 thereof, Records of Alameda County, California; thence along the Southerly, Southwesterly and Westerly line of said 0.694 acre tract the following courses and distances: South 64 degrees 05 minutes 30 seconds East Nine Hundred and Forty-seven and 10/100 feet; South 29 degrees 23 minutes 30 seconds East Six Hundred and Seventy-one and 22/100 feet; South 4 degrees 20 minutes 15 seconds East Seven Hundred and Twelve and 80/100 feet; South 15 degrees 54 minutes 45 seconds West One Hundred and Seventy-eight and 20/100 feet; and South 2 degrees 25 minutes 45 seconds West Two

Hundred and Ninety-one and 20/100 feet to an intersection thereof with the direct extension Westerly of the Northerly line of that certain 0.694 acre piece or parcel of land heretofore conveyed by Emily P. Mayhew, a widow, to Florence M. Shinn, by Deed dated July 5, 1917 and recorded in Book 2579 of Deeds, at page 409 thereof, Records of Alameda County, California; thence along said line South 78 degrees 14 minutes 15 seconds East Two Hundred and Twenty-three and 96/100 feet to the Northeastern corner thereof; thence along the Easterly line of said 0.694 acre tract South 11 degrees 45 minutes 45 seconds West One Hundred and Eighty and 00/100 feet to a corner thereof; thence leaving last said line South 78 degrees 14 minutes 15 seconds East Three Hundred and Twenty-four and 36/100 feet; thence South 2 degrees 30 minutes 45 seconds West Forty and 24/100 feet; thence South 87 degrees 29 minutes 15 seconds East Two Hundred and 00/100 feet; thence South 2 degrees 30 minutes 45 seconds West One Hundred Fifty and 00/100 feet to a point on the Northerly line of the County Road to Sunol, as said road existed prior to the widening thereof by Deed from Edward Rose and Leontine Rose, his wife, to State of California, dated July 1, 1936, and recorded January 28, 1937, in Book 3409 of Official Records, at page 434, said line being also the Southerly line of the aforesaid Plot Numbered 19; thence along the Northerly line of said Road South 87 degrees 29 minutes 15 seconds East Fifty and 00/100 feet to a point hereinafter referred to and designated as point "A"; thence leaving last said line North 2 degrees 30 minutes 45 seconds East Four Hundred and Eighty-one and 04/100 feet; thence North 74 degrees 49 minutes 15 seconds East Fourteen and 85/100 feet; thence North 68 degrees 46 minutes 30 seconds East Eighty-nine and 81/100 feet; thence North 28 degrees 16 minutes 15 seconds East Sixty-six and 91/100 feet; thence North 8 degrees 05 minutes 15 seconds East Four Hundred and Forty-seven and 78/100 feet to a point hereinafter referred to and designated as point "B"; thence North 87 degrees 28 minutes 00 seconds East Eighty-seven and 08/100 feet to a point hereinafter referred to and designated as point "C"; thence South 51 degrees 54 minutes 00 seconds East Two Hundred and Fifteen and 80/100 feet; thence South 43 degrees 04 minutes 00 seconds East Two Hundred and Fifty-two and 33/100 feet; thence South 66 degrees 55 minutes 45 seconds East One Hundred and Twenty and 43/100 feet; thence South 70 degrees 42 minutes 15 seconds East Four Hundred and Ten and 43/100 feet; thence North 83 degrees 38 minutes 30 seconds East Ninety-one and 30/100 feet; thence North 43 degrees 53 minutes 30 seconds East One Hundred and Eighty-four and 70/100 feet to a point on the Easterly line of the aforesaid Plot Numbered 19; thence along the Easterly line of said Plot Numbered 19, North 6 degrees 30 minutes East Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-seven and 79/100 feet to an angle therein; thence continuing along said Easterly line North 12 degrees 35 minutes 15 seconds West Twenty-three Hundred and Thirteen and 39/100 feet to the point of beginning.

CONTAINING 221.659 Acres, and BEING a portion of Plots Numbered 18 and 19, as said Plots are delineated and so designated on the Map herinabove referred to.

EXCEPTING THEREFROM that portion thereof conveyed by Edward Rose and Leontine Rose, his wife, to State of California, by Deed dated July 1, 1936, and recorded January 28, 1937, in Book 3409 of Official Records of Alameda County, at page 434.

ALSO an easement or open right of way over the following described property for egress and ingress, road purposes, and for telephone, water, gas, sewer, electric light service, and other public service.

BEGINNING at a point on the Northern line of Niles Sunol Road, as said Road existed prior to the widening thereof by Deed from Edward Rose and Leontine Rose, his wife, to State of California, being dated July 1, 1936, recorded January 28, 1937, in Book 3409 of Official Records, at page 434, distant thereon South 87 degrees 29 minutes 15 seconds East Three Hundred and Eighty feet from the hereinabove mentioned point "A", and running thence North 2 degrees 30 minutes 45 seconds East Two Hundred and Eighty and 00/100 feet; thence Northerly along the arc of a curve to the left tangent to last course with a

radius of Fourteen Hundred and Five and 7/10 feet, Four Hundred and Seventy-nine and 30/100 feet; thence North 17 degrees 02 minutes 20 seconds West Two Hundred and Ninety-five and 88/100 feet to a point distant Thirty-five and 44/100 feet North 87 degrees 28 minutes East from the hereinabove described point "B"; thence North 87 degrees 28 minutes East Fifty-one and 64/100 feet to the point hereinabove described as point "C" and which is where an iron rod in the said South boundary is set at the intersection of the course North 87 degrees 28 minutes East and the course South 51 degrees 54 minutes East; thence South 17 degrees 02 minutes 20 seconds East Two Hundred and Eighty-two and 94/100 feet; thence Southerly along the arc of a curve to the right, tangent to last course with a radius of Fourteen Hundred and Fifty-five and 7/10 feet; thence North 87 degrees 28 minutes 45 seconds East 30 minutes 45 seconds West Two Hundred and Eighty and 0/10 feet to a point on the Northern line of said Niles Sunol Road, distant South 87 degrees 29 minutes 15 seconds East Fifty feet from the point of beginning; thence North 87 degrees 29 minutes 15 seconds West Fifty feet to the point of beginning.

BEING a portion of Plot Numbered 19 of the Hill Lands of the Rancho Arroyo de la Alameda.

EXCEPTING THEREFROM that portion thereof described in the Deed by Edward Rose and Leontine Rose, his wife, to State of California, dated July 21, 1936, and recorded September 22, 1936, in Book 3347 of Official Records of Alameda County, at page 416.

PARCEL 3: BEGINNING at a point on the Northern right of way line of the Department of Public Works Survey from Niles to Two miles South, Road IV, Alameda County, said point being distant North 2 degrees 30 minutes 45 seconds East, Fifty and 01/100 feet from Engineer's Station 430 plus 42.62 P. O. T. of said survey, and also being distant North 87 degrees 29 minutes 15 seconds West, 1321.30 feet and North 2 degrees 30 minutes 45 seconds East, 31/100 feet from the point of intersection thereof with the Western line of Plot Numbered 20 of the Hill Lands of the Rancho Arroyo de la Alameda; thence from said point of beginning along the northerly right of way line of said survey North 88 degrees 53 minutes 25 seconds West Three Hundred and 09/100 feet; thence North 2 degrees 30 minutes 45 seconds East, One Hundred Three and 56/100 feet to the Southern boundary line of that certain parcel of land conveyed by Emily P. Mayhew to Edward Rose, by Deed dated October 27, 1926, and recorded October 27, 1926, in Book 1422 of Official Records of Alameda County, at page 367; thence along the boundary line of land conveyed to Rose, South 78 degrees 14 minutes 15 seconds East One Hundred One and 32/100 feet, South 2 degrees 30 minutes 45 seconds West, Forty and 24/100 feet, South 87 degrees 29 minutes 15 seconds East Two Hundred feet; and South 2 degrees 30 minutes 45 seconds West Thirty-nine and 69/100 feet to the point of beginning.

CONTAINING 0.41 of an acre, more or less.

BEING a portion of Plot Numbered 19, as said plot is delineated and so designated upon that certain Map entitled, "Map of a part of the Rancho Arroyo de la Alameda," etc., filed November 24, 1924, in the Office of the County Recorder of Alameda County.

PARCEL 4: LOTS Numbered 3 to 6 inclusive, in Block Lettered "F" as said Lots and Block are delineated and so designated upon that certain Map entitled, "Map of the Subdivision of Blocks E, F, and G, Mary E. Mortimer Addition to Niles, Alameda Co., Cal.," filed March 15, 1909, in Book 24 of Maps, at page 60, in the Office of the County Recorder of Alameda County.

Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, rents, issues and profits thereof.

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Dated: March 31st, 1939.
AUGUST MAY,
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Trustees.
Fitzgerald, Abbott & Beardsley,
Attorneys for Trustees,
1516 Central Bank Building,
Oakland, California.

Sunnyvale Airbase proceedings 11 years ago. Since that time he has been in the electrical engineering department at Boulder Dam.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Halsted Mortuary in San Francisco and

interment was at the Woodlawn cemetery.

MEET TUESDAY
NEWARK—The Newark Sportsmen's Club will meet at Butler's Hotel on April 25.

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Newark Newsettes**MRS. FLAHERTY**
RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Flaherty returned home Saturday after spending some time at a rest home in Oakland.

DINNER PARTY
FOR MISS ROGERS

A dinner party was held at the home of Miss Jean Rogers on Friday evening. Many of her schoolmates were present. After the dinner they attended the W Club high school dance.

WOMEN ATTEND
MOOSE MEETING

Mrs. Elizabeth Dittman, Mrs. Mary Texeria, Mrs. Lenda Kraft and Mrs. Lena Bertilotti attended a Women of the Moose meeting at San Jose on Wednesday. Plans were made for a district meeting to be held on April 30 at Redwood City. Mrs. Mary Avery of San Jose and Mrs. Bertilotti of Newark attended a district meeting of the Sacramento Valley Women of the Moose at Sacramento last week.

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VISITORS SUNDAY
FROM ALVARADO

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Gun of Alvarado visited with Mr. and Mrs. Val Tuchsien at Newark on Sunday.

SPORTSWOMEN MEET
AT BUTLERS

The Newark Sportswomen's Club held a meeting at Butler's Hotel on April 12. Mrs. George Butler donated an electric heater to be raffled for the benefit of the club on June 28. At the meeting four new members were initiated.

ASSEMBLY HELD
AT NEWARK SCHOOL

On last Monday afternoon at the Newark Grammar School auditorium an assembly was held featuring a trained dog named "Captain." This dog will visit the world's fair in San Francisco soon.

OAKLAND PEOPLE
WITNESS CELEBRATION

A group of people from Oakland including Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gyax, Jr. and Mrs. Wasley of Oakland motored to Newark on Sunday to witness the dedication ceremonies.

MRS. HOWELL
ENTERTAINS DAUGHTER

Mrs. D. R. Howell entertained her daughter of San Francisco over the week end.

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CHIEF PASHOTE
WINS DOOR PRIZE

Many Newark people attended the Centerville firemen's dance at Swiss Park on Saturday evening. Chief Pashote of Newark was the door prize winner. He returned the money to the Centerville Department.

NEWARK PEOPLE
ATTEND DANCE

Many Newark people attended the Toyon Berries dance at the American Legion Hall in Niles on Saturday evening.

FARM WOMEN
WILL MEET

The Newark Farm Home Department will meet at the home of Mrs. Theresa Swartz on Monday at 1:30 o'clock. The newly elected officers will preside.

IMPROVEMENT CLUB
MEET TUESDAY

The Women's Improvement Club will hold the regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Norma Wilburn on Tuesday, April 25.

SCOUTS MET
AT SCHOOL

The Newark Boy Scouts met at the school on Monday evening with Mr. Stowe, scoutmaster and Calvin Oliveria, junior assistant scoutmaster.

WOMEN VISIT IN
SANTA CRUZ

Lena Calderia and Mrs. Arthur A. Silva visited Mrs. Silva's sister in Santa Cruz on Monday, who is very ill.

MISS COSTA AT
DECOTO WITH NIECE

Louisa Costa spent the week end with her niece, Mrs. George Smith of Decoto.

STITCH EM UP
MEET AT EVANS

The Stitch em Up Club met at the home of Mrs. Evans on Friday evening. Refreshments were served.

PUBLIC THANKED
FOR COOPERATION

The Newark Fire Department extended thanks to all organizations and others who aided in making dedication of the new fire hall a success on last Sunday; also for the donations made by organizations and companies.

The Newark Sportsmen's Club expressed its thanks for the splendid support throughout the township in arranging the dedication day parade.

Township Firemen
See Former County
Presidents Honored

NILES — Past presidents of the Alameda County Firemen's Association were honored at a meeting of the Association at the Lake Merritt Hotel on Monday night of last week.

Scrolls of honor were presented to past presidents, to Supervisors George Hellwig and George Janssen, and to Chief Chas. Brennan of San Francisco. Among the past presidents were Al Moyer of Castro Valley, president in 1929 when the association was formed, Bill Graham of Pleasanton, L. Steinmetz of Alameda, Frank Madrugra of Centerville, Lee Martin of San Leandro, Bert Rose of Emeryville, Lee Casey of Berkeley and Crawford Letham of Pleasanton. Presentations were by Chief McGrath, ex-chief of Oakland.

Those attending from the township included Jack Alberg, Leon Solon, Frank Silva, Lawrence Avilla, Joe Gomes, George Hellwig, Clarence Crane, Joe Corey, Tom Silva, Frank Madrugra, Fred Rogers A. D. Lewis, Jr. and others. About 75 were present.

Chief Tom Lane of Alameda, president, was toastmaster and the chief speaker was Charles Lum, general manager of the Board of Underwriters. The program included a demonstration by Chief Walsh of the Fairmont Hospital. Remarks regarding the fire hazard at the hospital were answered by Supervisor Hellwig who said a fund was being accumulated with which to rebuild the hospital.

Plans were made for the national convention to be held in San Francisco in September. An Alameda County Day is planned for this event at Treasure Island.

EDMUND GRAFF
TAKEN BY DEATH

ALVARADO — Edmund Graff, 62, member of the Centerville Masonic Lodge, the Alvarado Rebekahs and Odd Fellows and the Eastern Stars of Hayward, passed away at his home near here recently. He is survived by his widow, Henrietta, two daughters and two sons. He had been employed at the foundry at Newark and died after a few days' illness from double pneumonia.

Mrs. Graff has been recommended as district deputy president of District No. 53, of the Rebekahs to succeed Mrs. Lucetta Duffey of Niles.

Centerville Jots**BIRTHDAY CLUB**
TO BE ENTERTAINED

Miss Elizabeth Dusterberry will entertain the Centerville Birthday Club on May 4. Mrs. W. L. McWhirter will be guest of honor.

SUPPER CLUB
WILL MEET

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chadbourne will entertain the Centerville Supper Club at their home on May 6.

TO ATTEND MEDICAL
CONVENTION

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. McWhirter will attend the Medical Convention at Del Monte, May 1-4.

ENROUTE EAST
FOR VISIT

Mrs. D. A. Fitzgerald and Mrs. George Mathiesen left Saturday via Los Angeles for a five weeks' visit in the East. They will go through New Orleans and will visit Mrs. Mathiesen's brother in Syracuse, returning home via the Canadian Pacific.

MASONS HAVE
CHILDREN'S PARTY

A delayed Easter party for children of the Centerville lodge of Masons was held last Saturday night with Arthur T. Biddle, master, in charge. Twenty-two children were present and refreshments were served after the games.

WILL REPRESENT
CLUB AT TEAS

Mrs. Frank T. Dusterberry, district president of Women's Federated Clubs, and Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth, president of the Country Club of Washington Township, will attend a tea at the Adelphi Club on April 25. On April 28, they will be guests at the Political Science Club tea.

ENTERS HONOR
DENTAL FRATERNITY

Jack Rathbone was initiated into the honorary dental fraternity, Epsilon Alpha, at the University of California Medical School at San Francisco this week.

GUESTS AT
RATHBONE HOME

Russel Augsberger and Carrol Berryman, classmates of Jack Rathbone at the University of California Medical College at San Francisco, were week end guests at the Rathbone home. Seven other friends were entertained at breakfast Sunday morning.

CARD CLUB IS
ENTERTAINED

The Centerville Supper Club was entertained by Mr. and Mrs. George Coit at their home Saturday night.

GUILD WILL MEET
WITH MRS. CHADBOURNE

The St. James Episcopal Guild will meet at the home of Mrs. Howard F. Chadbourne in Centerville on next Wednesday, April 26.

BRIDGE CLUB
ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Henri Salz entertained her bridge club at luncheon on Tuesday.

FACULTY WIVES
ENTERTAINED

Faculty wives of Washington Union High School were entertained by Mrs. Paul Dougherty this week.

P. T. A. WILL MEET
NEXT TUESDAY

The P. T. A. of the Centerville Grammar School will meet at the school library next Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Students will present a program and refreshments will be served by the upper grade girls. Those present will view exhibits of school work in observance of Public Schools Week.

HIGH EASTERN STAR
OFFICIAL VISITS

CENTERVILLE—Deputy Grand Matron Johnnie Mae Fry of Elmhurst Chapter, O. E. S., paid an official visit to Orient Chapter at Centerville last week.

The meeting was preceded by a potluck supper arranged by Etta Alexander, Tillie Gould and Claribel Norris. Four visitors were

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present, two of them members of San Jose Chapter No. 31 and two from Kansas.

The next meeting will be a joint observance of Mothers' Day and memorial services.

ROTARIANS SHOWN
TALKIE ON HEATING
BUILDING PROJECTS

NILES — L. M. Osborn of the Johns-Manville Corporation, Oakland, showed a talking motion picture of the uses of heat in scientific and building projects at last week's luncheon meeting of the Niles Rotary Club.

E. D. Bristow, vice president, presided in the absence of Dr. T. C. Wilson, president. Guests included Don Harder of Hayward and Don Boyd of San Leandro.

The Niles Club has been invited to attend the ladies' night of the San Leandro Club at the Castlewood Country Club on May 6.

Delegates from the Niles Club to the convention at Reno in May will include Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kraft, Mr. and Mrs. George Bonde, Dr. T. C. Wilson, George Smith and E. F. Glassbrook, official delegate.

RESIDENT WHO DROVE
OX TEAM AT MISSION
REMOVED BY DEATH

MISSION SAN JOSE — Funeral services were held Wednesday morning for Frank Joseph Rogers, 63, brother of Joseph E. Rogers, former postmaster of Mission San Jose and of Mrs. Mary Alameda of Manteca. Mass was said at St. Joseph's church and interment was at St. Joseph's cemetery, under the direction of the Berge Mortuary.

The deceased was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Antone J. Rogers of Mission San Jose, pioneer settlers of this community. Old timers remember the familiar sight of the early resident and his ox team which did hauling around the village.

The deceased was a native of the I. D. E. S. Lodge No. 15 of Pleasanton and the Eagles of San Francisco. He died at his home Sunday night.

WAGE EARNER IN
LARGE FAMILY SHOWN
LENIENCY BY JUDGE

NILES — Tony S. Gonzales, 18, of Sycamore st., Niles, pleaded guilty to driving while drunk and was put on probation for six months after a hearing before Judge Allen G. Norris.

Leniency was expressed by the court due to the fact that the defendant is the only wage earner in a family of 11. He is to report to Deputy Sheriff Tom Silva each month and if an emergency license is issued to him, he is to drive his car only for business purposes.

According to Nightwatchman Don Bates in Centerville, Gonzales and five others were in the car which skidded past the boulevard stop sign on Centerville's main street about 11 p. m. Saturday night.

According to Judge Norris, drunk driving charges have increased during the past few months, a large percentage of them being against persons on relief.

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TROPICAL FISH AND
STAMP EXHIBITS
INTERESTS ART GUILD

CENTERVILLE — Hobbies of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Waltenberger including the raising of tropical fish and stamp collecting contrived to present an interesting program to members of the Arts and Crafts Guild of Washington Township at a meeting at the Waltenberger home last Friday night.

Mrs. Waltenberger has several hundred tropical fish of numerous varieties. A discussion of their habits proved entertaining as well as informative. Several aquariums were placed in the dining room for the occasion. Mr. Waltenberger showed his stamp collections, many of which have interesting stories attached, and copies of original issues of the John Audubon book of pictures of animals.

George Sladek made his first public appearance as pianist, accompanying his wife, Kate, violinist. Vocal numbers were given by Mrs. Bob Tyson, accompanied by Henri Salz.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Lawrence Bunting.

MILPITAS CONSTABLE
HIGHWAY VICTIM

IRVINGTON — Abner Eli Neuby, 76, public weighmaster and constable at Milpitas, was killed Sunday as he was crossing the highway in Castro Valley.

Edward Anderson, 38, of San Francisco, driver of the car which struck Neuby was not held. Neuby's son formerly resided in Irvington.

NEW SECRETARY FOR
HIGH SCHOOL BOARD

CENTERVILLE — Miss Dorothea Ormsby has been elected secretary to the board of trustees of the Washington Union High School to succeed Miss Helen Rogers who resigned in order to carry on graduate college work.

Mrs. Josephine Morris, head of the Home Economics Department, received a nine day leave of absence in order to leave on June 1 for New York City where she will do work for her Masters Degree in institutional management at Columbia University.

SANITARY SYSTEM
CONTRACT IS LET

DECOTO — Contract for constructing the collection system of the Decoto Sanitary District has been awarded to the West Construction Company of San Francisco at a bid of approximately \$48,000. The contract was o. k'd by the WPA this week.

FORMER YACHT PILOT
FOR FORD KILLED

NILES — Charles Albright, 61, of San Francisco, former pilot on Mrs. William H. Ford's yacht, was killed, according to highway patrolmen, when he attempted to pass an automobile on the Bayshore Highway near Millbrae and crashed into another car. Two other automobiles also piled into the crash.

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Niles Notes

JACK GEIB HOME IS SOLD

The Geib home back of the Niles Grammar School which has to be moved to make room for the new building has been sold to Joe Ferreira for \$1130.

ATTENDS DENTAL CONFERENCE

Dr. T. C. Wilson attended a dental conference at the University of California at Berkeley last week.

AUXILIARY HAS CARD PARTY

Mrs. Rose Vieux was chairman of the card party held last Friday night at the Veterans Memorial Building for the welfare fund. Re-

ports of the event were made at a meeting of the Auxiliary Tuesday night.

LADIES GUILD HAS MEETING

Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth, president, had charge of the Ladies' Guild meeting at the new church on Wednesday.

REBEKAHS HOLD RECEPTION

The members of Niles Rebekah Lodge will hold a reception for Lucetta B. Duffey, District Deputy President of District No. 53 at Odd Fellows Hall, Niles tonight, according to Annabelle McGraw, Noble Grand.

The committee in charge consists of LaVon Sorenson, Maude Silers, Iva Marble, Ivy Cull, Anna Bradford and Ethel Fournier.

Mrs. Duffey, whose term expires in May, has had a very successful year. Accompanied by her Marshal, Ethel Fournier, and escort team, she has paid many official and social visits to the lodges in her district.

Guests are expected from the different lodges. James S. Cull, District Deputy Grand Master of District No. 36, I. O. O. F., and his Marshal, George W. Duffey will be present.

IS NAMED DELEGATE

La Von Sorenson of Niles Rebekah Lodge was recently elected delegate to the Rebekah Assembly which convenes in Oakland in May.

COMPETE FOR FIRE TROPHY

Essays are being completed this week by seventh and eighth grade grammar school pupils in the second annual contest sponsored by the fire department. The papers will be judged by members of the Alameda County Firemen's Association.

BENEFIT FOOD SALE TOMORROW

A food sale for the benefit of the Corpus Christi Church will be

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CENTERVILLE — An interesting program has been planned for the Washington Township Boy Scout Court of Honor to be held at the Centerville Grammar School on Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock.

The Centerville, Decoto, Irvington, Newark, Niles and Warm Springs Boy Scouts will receive awards of merit.

Music will be furnished by the Centerville Grammar School orchestra and the talking picture,

held on Saturday in Murphy's store.

OPEN WEEK OF CHURCH MISSION

Rev. A. Oehm and Rev. R. Sweeney of the Redemptress Order will open a week's mission in the Holy Rosary Church at Decoto

and the Corpus Christi Church at Niles on Sunday morning. Mass will be said every morning and services will be held in the evenings at both churches.

"First Century of Baseball" will be shown.

Inasmuch as the twentieth annual observance of California Public Schools Week is scheduled to begin on Monday, April 24, all those attending will also have the opportunity to inspect the exhibit which has been arranged by the students of the Centerville Grammar School.

The public is invited to attend the program. No admission will be charged.

SPRING FORMAL DANCE BY TOYON BERRIES ENJOYABLE EVENT

NILES — Toyon Berries entertained at their first Spring formal dance at the Veterans Memorial Building Saturday night under the sponsorship of the Auxiliary of the Washington Township Post, American Legion.

Assisting them in receiving were Mrs. Angie Furtado, president of the Auxiliary; Mrs. Nell Farrington Myers, Mrs. Theresa Swartz and Mrs. Marie Duarte. Also assisting were Mrs. James R. Whipple, chairman of the Toyon Branch, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Bristow, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Gould and Mrs. A. J. Rathbone.

Through the courtesy of Mrs. Joe Adams of Centerville a floor show of music and dancing from San Jose was presented. Music was by Jack Kolln's Castlewood Country Club orchestra. Miss Mary Virginia Bristow, chairman of the Berries, and other members arranged for the event.

Honor guests were William Harold Oliver of Oakland, president of the Children's Hospital Association, and Mrs. Oliver, chairman of the branches.

The Berries also had charge of the sandwich sale for the benefit of the hospital at the outdoor bulb show at the California Nursery on Sunday.

SERVICES HELD FOR BRENTWOOD MAN

CENTERVILLE — Funeral services for Stephen Reys, 50, of Brentwood, were held last Saturday from the Chapel of the Palms with mass at St. Edward's church and burial in the Holy Ghost cemetery. The deceased is survived by his widow, Petra, and several children.

Graduating Class Of Irvington School To Have All Day Outing

IRVINGTON — The 25 members of the graduating class of the Irvington Grammar School will be given an all day outing at Alum Rock Park by the Parent Teacher Association, according to a decision made at a meeting Thursday of last week.

Mrs. George Scamman was made chairman and will be assisted by Mrs. R. A. Griffin, Mrs. Hugh Davis and Mrs. Raymond Benbow.

It was decided to postpone the carnival until October due to construction going on at the school. A report of child welfare work was given by Miss Barbara Root who made an appeal for more shoes and clothing for boys. Miss E. Lowrie reported on the parents' book shelf at the Irvington library.

The nominating committee was appointed as follows: Principal Jack Prouty, Mrs. Ed Hirsch, Mrs. George Enos, Mrs. George Courtney and Mrs. William Enos. Report will be made at the next meeting on May 4, at which time the election will be held.

Delegates to the district convention at Martinez on April 24, were elected as follows: Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Scamman, Mrs. Wayne Day, Mrs. William Enos, Mrs. J. R. Silveria. Alternates are Mrs. Prouty, Mrs. Hugh Davis and Mrs. Raymond Benbow.

The entertainment program consisted of Gertrude Mozzetti, vocal solos, accompanied by Wilma Martin; piano solo by Miss Martin and accordion numbers by Ben Mozzetti. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

WELFARE CLUB IS ENTERTAINED ON ELEVENTH ANNIVERSARY

CENTERVILLE — Mrs. Richard Sparrowe and Mrs. A. J. Rathbone entertained the Welfare Club at the home of Mrs. Sparrowe on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. T. N. Alexander pointed out that this was the 11th anniversary of the club which was organized on April 16, 1928 at the home of Mrs. Frank Dusterberry. The group was formed largely through the efforts of Mrs. F. V. Jones.

Of the original 25 charter members, 14 are still active. They are Mrs. George Emerson, Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth, Mrs. George Coit, Mrs. W. L. McWhirter, Mrs. Howard Chadbourne, Mrs. G. Williamson, Mrs. Garrett Norris, Mrs. F. V. Jones, Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry, Mrs. O. E. Walpert, Mrs. William H. Ford, Mrs. James R. Whipple and Mrs. J. E. Thane.

Mrs. McWhirter, chairman, appointed the following nominating committee: Mrs. George Coit, Mrs. J. V. Gould and Mrs. Howard White.

The afternoon was spent in finishing the eighth comforter made

by the club. It was decided to make several layettes.

TOWNSHIP CLUB WILL BE HOSTESS AT TREASURE ISLAND

NILES — Members of the Country Club of Washington Township will play hostess to visiting delegates to the General Federation of Women's Clubs at Treasure Island on May 13. Mrs. E. A. Ellsworth, president, has invited the following to represent the club:

Mrs. Roland Bendel, Mrs. Frank T. Dusterberry, Mrs. R. L. Pond, Mrs. T. N. Alexander, Mrs. C. E. Martenstein, Mrs. Howard Chadbourne, Mrs. George Bonde and Mrs. W. L. McWhirter.

Delegates to the General Federation will be taken on a boat ride around the bay during the morning and will be served a luncheon on the ferry at noon. They will be met at Treasure Island at 1 o'clock and will be shown around the exposition during the afternoon.

Alameda County club women

are hostesses for the "play day" of the convention. Mrs. Gerald Whitaker, president, expects 500 hostesses from the county to entertain the 1,000 or more delegates.

FUNERAL SERVICES HELD FOR RESIDENT OF NEWARK 39 YEARS

NEWARK — Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie J. F. Silva, 60, of Newark were held Monday from the Chapel of the Palms, Mass said at St. Edward's church and interment was at the Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

The deceased was a native of Alvarado. She died Friday at the Jackson-Lake Hospital after a short illness. She is survived by her husband, John F. Silva and a daughter, Jeanette E. Silva.

She was the sister of Mrs. Mary Davilla of Alvarado. She was a member of the S. P. R. S. I. No. 58 of Newark, the Native Daughters of San Francisco, Mooseheart of San Jose, the Druids Circle of Centerville and the U. P. P. E. C. of Centerville.

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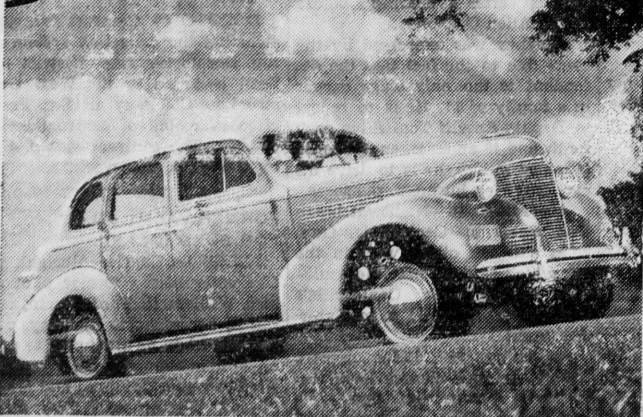
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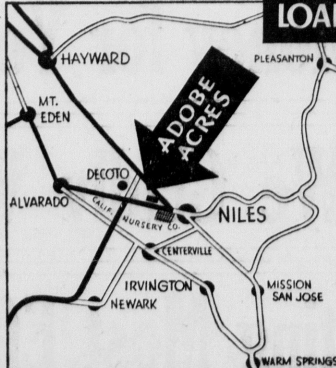
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